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PATENT APPLICATION  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UTILITY PATENT  
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
Box Patent Application  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is an ☒ original patent application or, ☐ a continuation-in-part patent application, by inventor(s) Stephen Ho, entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENHANCING THE EFFECTIVE TIMING MARGIN ON A DIGITAL SYSTEM BUS.

No. of pages in Application: 16; No. of Claims: 21.

No. of Sheets of Drawings:      Formal: 2,      Informal: 0.

Also enclosed are:

- ☐ a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 in  
☐ a separate document ☐ the declaration;
- ☐ a certified copy of the priority document;
- ☐ an Associate Power of Attorney;
- ☐     verified statement(s) claiming small entity status;
- ☒ a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney of the inventors(s);
- ☐ a signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney of the inventors will follow;
- ☒ an Assignment document and form PTO-1595;
- ☐ a Power of Attorney by Assignee; and
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449.

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CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$710.00
Total Claims	21	MINUS 20 =	1	\$18.00=	\$18.00
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	\$80.00=	\$0.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$260.00					0
Total Application Fee					\$728.00
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Add Recording Fee of \$40.00 if Assignment document is enclosed					\$40.00
<b>TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE</b>					<b>\$768.00</b>

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 768.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Application fee will follow with missing parts.
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THE REQUIREMENTS OF 37 C.F.R. § 1.55**

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.55, the applicant(s) submit(s)  
herewith a certified copy of the following foreign application(s):

Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-038540  
Filed: February 16, 2000

It is respectfully requested that the applicant(s) be given the benefit of the foreign filing  
date, as evidenced by the certified papers attached hereto, in accordance with the requirements  
of 35 U.S.C. § 119.

Respectfully submitted,  
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